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PARA 4 REF B IS ACCURATE AS YOU RECEIVED IT. SECOND SENTENCE OF PARA 4 MEANS THAT WE PLAN TO KEEP BOTH KORAT AND U TAPAO FULLY OPERATIONAL UNTIL AT LEAST DECEMBER 31, 1976. ULTIMATE DISPOSITION OF THESE FACILITIES WILL BE ADDRESSED LATER. WE TENTATIVELY PLAN TO CLOSE OUT AT UBON BY THE END OF THE FIRST QUARTER OF FY 76 AND AT NAKHON PHANOM BY JUNE 30, 1976. UDORN WOULD BE SHIFTED FROM OPERATIONAL TO CARETAKER STATUS DURING THE COURSE OF THE DRAWDOWN OUTLINED

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